

Church of Saint Joseph

8 West Main Street, Mendham, New Jersey 07945 ~ www.stjoesmendham.org

The Celebration of The Eucharist

Monday, March 26th

6:30 a.m. Donald J. Smith
9:00 a.m. Beatrice & John O'Neill

Tuesday, March 27th

9:00 a.m. Dorothea Prisk

Wednesday, March 28th

6:30 a.m. For The People
9:00 a.m. August Ventura

Holy Thursday, March 29th

9:00 a.m. *Morning Prayer*
8:00 p.m. *Solemn Liturgy of the
Lord's Supper:*

William Forbes Davidson

Good Friday, March 30th

9:00 a.m. *Morning Prayer*
3:00 p.m. *Solemn Liturgy of the
Lord's Passion*

Holy Saturday, March 31st

9:00 a.m. *Morning Prayer*
8:00 p.m. Lawrence & Lucille
Vollmuth & Charles & Minnie Kern

Easter Sunday, April 1st

7:30 a.m. William Davidson
9:30 a.m. June Bossie
11:30 a.m. Peter Cavalero

Reconciliation:

Saturdays 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

Baptisms:

1:00 p.m. in the Chapel on the
First & Third Sundays of the Month

TRY TO
DISCERN
THE WILL OF GOD



Hosanna!

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*Blessed is he who
comes in the name
of the Lord!*

FOCUS: The Father responds to Jesus' willing self-sacrifice by raising him to glory. As we begin to recall and commemorate the events of that first Holy Week, when Jesus willingly laid aside his glory and embraced the cross for our salvation, may we be filled with gratitude and awe at one who loves us so much.

Readings for Next Weekend

First Reading: Acts 10:34a, 37-43 Second Reading: Colossians 3:1-4 Third Reading: John 20:1-9

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Monday ~ Friday: 9:00 a.m. – noon/1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

**On Holy Days of Obligation the Parish House
will open at 10:00.**

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Parish Mission Statement

To Enable Parishioners to Live Their
Christian Vocation in the World.



If you are going into the hospital and would like a priest to visit you there, please call the Parish House at 973~ 543~5950 to inform the priest.

Elijah Joseph Broady
recently joined our
faith community
through the waters of Baptism.
Please keep Elijah, his parents,
and godparents in your prayers.



Welcome and God Bless!

Hosanna



Blessed is Jesus

Sunday Offering March 18, 2018:

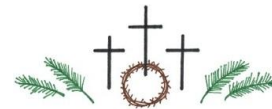
Sunday Envelopes: \$ 8,872

WeShare electronic giving: \$ 4,295

Total: \$13,167

Thank you for your generous spirit! Fr. Joe

**The Parish House
will be closed
on Good Friday.**



Holy Week

**Lenten Communal Penance Service
Tuesday, March 27**

7:30 ~ 9:00 p.m. (Church)

With Individual Confession and Absolution

Holy Thursday, March 29

9:00 a.m. ~ Morning Prayer

8:00 p.m. ~ Mass of the Lord's Supper

Good Friday, March 30

9:00 a.m. ~ Morning Prayer

3:00 p.m. ~ Solemn Liturgy of the Lord's Passion

8:00 p.m. ~ Living Stations of the Cross

Holy Saturday, March 31

9:00 a.m. ~ Morning Prayer

8:00 p.m. ~ Solemn Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday, April 1

7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m.



Good Friday Collection ~ Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, which helps Christians in the Holy Land. Your support helps the church minister in parishes, provide Catholic schools and offer religious education. The Pontifical Good Friday Collection also helps to preserve the sacred shrines. The wars, unrest and instability have been especially hard on Christians. In these times of crisis, the Pontifical Good Friday Collection provides humanitarian aid to refugees. When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you become an instrument of peace and join with Catholics around the world in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land. **Please be generous!**

Interchurch Committee of the Mendhams invites all to join together for **midweek Lenten services** at 12:00 noon each Wednesday in Lent. All services are held at Grace Lutheran Church, 65 East Main St. in Mendham. A simple soup and bread lunch follows each service. Each week a different church/convent in the community leads the service and provides the soup for the luncheon.

March 28

Community of St. John Baptist,
Sister Eleanor Francis or Sister Linda Clare

***Rather, he emptied himself, taking the form of a slave, coming in human likeness; and found human in appearance, he humbled himself, becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross."** ~ Philippians 2:7-8*



Palm Sunday marks the beginning of Holy Week, one of the most significant moments of the Church year. During this week, we journey with Christ

from his triumphant entry into Jerusalem to his final meal with his closest friends and ultimately to his death on the cross. As we walk with Jesus through Holy Week, we call to mind the countless men, women and children who even today carry heavy crosses: crosses of hunger, of homelessness, of a lack of resources or security. In these brothers and sisters we encounter Christ, Christ who continues to walk that long road to Calvary. This final week of Lent is a time, too, to reflect on those words of St. Paul to the Philippians. Jesus emptied himself for us; how might we empty ourselves for others? Our Lenten prayers, fasting and almsgiving have prepared us to wrestle with this question. We must

always remember that Holy Week gives way to Easter; the fast turns into a feast. God wins the day. As we prepare to celebrate Easter joy, it is our responsibility as members of God's one human family to share that joy with everyone, near and far.

Save the Date! ~ Our Spring Communion Breakfast will take place on Saturday, April 14, Mass at 8:00 a.m. in the Chapel, followed by Breakfast at 8:30 a.m. in the gym. Rev. Msgr. Geno Sylva, S.T.D., our guest speaker, will talk about: ***How Do We Keep Our Faith as a Family in Today's World?*** Breakfast will be catered by our Saint Joseph Church Knights of Columbus Council #6462. Reservations will be taken in the narthex after all Masses on March 31 & April 1; April 7 & 8.

There are two spots left for the Rome Pilgrimage! Contact Corporate Travel for more information. They can be reached at 313-565-8888, ext. 121 or 150, or you can **BOOK ONLINE** at: www.CTScentral.net and use **Trip Code: 12513 and Group Code: 7269.**



For the safety of your children ~ We ask that parents accompany young children when they use the bathroom during Mass.

SJS collects box tops for education. A collection box is in the narthex for all box tops. Thank you very much for helping the students at St. Joseph School.

Local grocery gift cards in \$100 denominations are available for purchase from the school. For every \$100 card purchased, St. Joseph School receives \$5. Kings, ShopRite, ACME, Weis, and Stop & Shop all participate. Please contact Peggy Timoney to purchase your gift cards; 973- 543-1101. Thank you for your support.

✠ **Worship**

Celebration of Divine Mercy Sunday ~ Come to the chapel for an hour of prayer, 3:00 ~ 4:00 p.m., on **Sunday, April 8,** for the celebration of Divine Mercy Sunday. There will be exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, readings from the diary of St. Faustina, praying of the Divine Mercy Chaplet, and confessions available. The same plenary indulgence offered during the Year of Mercy is offered on this special day under the usual conditions. See Fr. Stephen with further questions.


The Rosary is prayed weekdays at 8:30 a.m. in the chapel.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place every Friday, after the 9:00 a.m. Mass (9:30 – 10:30 a.m.) and every first Saturday after the 8:00 a.m. Mass (8:30 ~ 9:30 a.m.). Saturday's Holy Hour is devoted to Mary, Mother of all the living. We offer our prayers for all those who are suffering and hurting, especially those affected by abuse and abortion. Please consider devoting some time in quiet prayer with our Lord – it's good for the soul! For more information, please contact Fr. Stephen at the Parish House.

Every Monday, following 9:00 a.m. Mass, the **Divine Mercy Chaplet and Novena** is prayed for all those who are suffering from cancer and other serious illnesses. Please join us in the chapel. For information, call the Parish House.



Spiritual Enrichment

 **Morning Bible Study** with Fr. Stephen meets weekly on Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. in the Christopher House. Bible Study is open to everyone, so please come if your schedule allows. There is no commitment to this group. You need not be there each week.

The Men's Discussion Group meets on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month, from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. This forum provides presentations and open discussions on a variety of topics to promote a deeper understanding of our Catholic faith. Please call Bob Manthey at 973-543-2129 for details.
Upcoming Meetings: April 7 & 21.

Ministry to Life



Spiritual Adoption ~ At 7 months, our baby is about 3 lbs., 5oz. and 10 1/2 inches long.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE ~ Prayer and Fasting, Peaceful Vigil, and Community Outreach. Take part with Morris County Right To Life at Planned Parenthood, 196 Speedwell Avenue, Morristown, 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., seven days a week through Palm Sunday, March 25. We invite pro-lifers as individuals or groups to participate. Bring signs to hold (except graphic type) or will supply as needed. Please register at [https://40daysforlife.com/local-](https://40daysforlife.com/local-campaigns/morristown/)

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The Sacrament of The Anointing of the Sick

Not a Sacrament for the dying only! Please call the Parish House to inform one of our priests that a family member needs the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick before the person becomes gravely ill. This sacrament may be repeated. It is also appropriate to receive this sacrament prior to surgery. "If circumstances suggest it, the celebration of the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick can be preceded by the Sacrament of Penance." (1140, *The Catechism of the Catholic Church*)



St. Joseph School News

*Faithfully Changing the World
Hand in Hand*

Our Lenten journey continues here at the school. We have opened our hearts during Lent by attending *Stations of the Cross*, going to the 9:00 a.m. liturgy during the week, and receiving the *Sacrament of Reconciliation*. Our commitment to serving others continued when the **National Junior Honor Society** planned and organized, through "Feed A Friend," a day when families donated toiletries that were delivered to the Community Soup Kitchen in Morristown. **Students in the 6th, 7th and 8th grades** spent an afternoon making crafts and having conversation with patients at Holly Manor and families are participating in the Rice Bowl collection through St. Joseph Church.

The school year is three-quarters completed, as Wednesday is the end of the **third marking period**.

On Holy Thursday, St. Joseph School students will start the day with a **Seder Supper** in the gym, followed by **Stations of the Cross** at 10:30 a.m. in the church. All parishioners are invited to join us for Stations of the Cross.

St. Joseph School will have an **11:30 a.m. dismissal** on Holy Thursday.

SJS will be on **Spring Break** from Good Friday, March 30, through Sunday, April 8. Classes will resume Monday, April 9.

Formal registration for the 2018 ~ 2019 school year has begun for all new students. Please contact the

school's office at 973-543-7474 to arrange a tour and learn about everything St. Joseph School has to offer.

Please visit us at stjoesmendham.org for all of the latest news and events happening at St. Joseph School.

Religious Education

www.stjoesmendham.org



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religioused@stjosemendham.org

Class Schedule:

Hope Group (1~6)

Sundays, April 8 & 22, 9:45 a.m.

Love Group (1~6)

Mondays, April 9 & 23, 4:00 p.m.

TLC Group (7~8)

Monday, April 9, 7:00 p.m.

Faith Group (K~6)

Sunday, April 15 & 29, 9:45 a.m.

production. **There is ONE rehearsal on Wednesday, March 28 at 6:30 p.m.** You do not need experience in theater, just a willingness to learn. Except for the two narrators, there are no speaking parts. Please contact Fr. Stephen or Mark Tosso at the Parish House if you are interested.

➡ **SAVE THE DATE ~ The 4th Annual Pasta Dinner has been re-scheduled for Sunday, April 15, from 5 -7 p.m.**



If you'd like to be added to our email list, please contact Mark Tosso at tosso@stjoesmendham.org



Knights of Columbus

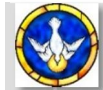
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<http://www.stjoesmendhamknights.org>

Become a Knight ~ If you would like to be a member of the Saint Joseph Knights of Columbus, please contact Mike Dunne at mdunne@daypitney.com.

1st EUCHARIST SCHEDULE

Please pray for our 2nd graders as they prepare to receive the Sacrament of First Eucharist!

St. Joseph School Saturday, May 5 at 10 a.m.
Faith Group Saturday, May 5 at 12 noon
Hope Group Saturday, May 12 at 10 a.m.



Confirmation ~ Year 1 & Year II (Grades 9 & 10)

Sundays, April 8 & 22
5:00 ~ 6:30 p.m.



Teen News High School Youth Ministry

Living Stations Cast Members Needed ~ Fr. Stephen is directing this year's presentation of the Living Stations of the Cross on Good Friday, March 30, at 8:00 p.m. We need teens to help as members of the cast and crew of this



Diocese of Paterson

A Musical Afternoon With Our Sisters ~ Join us for a very special concert on **Sunday, April 8, at 3:00 p.m. at Saint John the Baptist Cathedral in Paterson** for *Our Sisters in Concert*. Several religious communities will be represented as they perform hymns and songs. This is a wonderful opportunity to enjoy the talents and gifts of our Sisters who have dedicated their lives for the mission of the Diocese of Paterson. Also, free garage parking is available!

Solo Organ Recital, Internationally Acclaimed Recitalist Stephen Tharp on Sunday, April 15, at the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist, Paterson at 4:00 p.m. As part of the Diocese of Paterson's 80th anniversary and in celebration of the reopening of St. John's Cathedral, a solo organ recital will be given by internationally acclaimed recitalist Stephen Tharp. Mr. Tharp has performed over 1400 recitals in 50 worldwide tours. He was also the official organist for the 2008 New York visit of Pope Benedict XVI. This event is free, but a free-will offering will be accepted at the end of the event. Seating is on a first-come, first-serve basis. Free parking is available in the parking

garage across the street from the Cathedral on Grand Street. St. John's Cathedral is on the corner of Market Street and Grand Street in Paterson. The event is sponsored by Peragallo Pipe Organ Company. For more information, please contact Mr. John Peragallo at john@peragallo.com.

Parishioners, please note: On our diocesan website, www.patersondiocese.org, there is the Advance Directive for End of Life Issues available for printing. This directive has been approved by the Bishops of New Jersey.

† **Human Concerns**

Volunteers from St Joseph's travel together to **Eva's Kitchen in Paterson** to prepare and serve lunch for 250 guests. We would love if you could join us. Volunteers age 15 and older are invited to join our team and experience this opportunity to serve others while working with fellow parishioners. For Confirmation candidates, this is a meaningful way to accrue volunteer hours. If you cannot join us, monetary contributions are thankfully accepted and go directly to cover the cost of the food served. Remaining service dates for 2018 are June 2 and September 30. Mark your calendar for one or all dates. Please call or email Barbara Pieroni, 908-221-0377 or nutrabarb@aol.com for further details. *Matthew 25:37. The righteous will then answer Him, "When, Lord, did we ever see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you a drink?"*

Please note: St. Joseph Church **no longer collects clothing donations.** If you have other items to

donate to the Father English Center, please call Adi Conover at 973-543-0248.

The **People's Choice Food Pantry** at the **Father English Community Center** in Paterson serves *100-150 clients each day*. Please drop your non-perishable donations in the box located in the **West Entrance ONLY**. Items of greatest need include:

Canned Meats/Fish	Baby Food—All Stages
Rice/Pasta/Pasta Sauce	Baby Formula
Canned/Dried Beans	Diapers—All sizes
Macaroni and Cheese	Juices
Canned Soup	Peanut Butter/Jelly
Canned Fruit	Oatmeal/Grids/Farina
Pancake Mix/Syrup	Powdered Milk

If you have any questions regarding this request, please call Emily Wood, 973-543-3445. Thank you.

Community News 

The Mendham Borough Historical Society meets at 7:30 PM on Tuesday, March 27, in the Garabrant Center, 4 Wilson Street. The program will be presented at 7:45 PM by Carol Simon Levin – “*A W.A.S.P. Takes Wing: The Women Airforce Service Pilots of World War II.*” She relates the story through the eyes of NJ girl Ann Baumgartner Carl who trained as a WASP, became the only American woman to test-fly experimental planes during WWII, and then became the first American woman to fly a jet airplane! Levin takes on the role of Ann. Carol Simon Levin – author, storyteller, and historical interpreter – has a particular interest in women’s history and engages her audiences, expanding their horizons. Parking/program free; public is invited.

✧ NEW PARISHIONER REGISTRATION FORM ✧

Family Name: _____ Date: _____
 Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____
 Telephone (H) _____ (Cell): _____
 E-Mail: _____ Would you like to join our Parish E-mail List?: _____
 Husband: _____ Religion: _____
 Wife: _____ Religion: _____

List Only Those Living With You:

Children	Date of Birth	Religion	School & Grade

Children Eligible for CCD: _____ Others living with you? _____ How Related? _____

